

Community Grants awarded by Sevenoaks District Council for 2022-23

Date of awards: 1 April 2022

Name of Organisation	Charity Registration Number (where applicable)	Company Registration Number (where applicable)	Purpose of award	Amount Awarded 2022/23
Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust in partnership with Sevenoaks League of Friends	N/A	N/A	To transform an old and tired day room into a vintage convenience store containing a Post Office, sweets, newspapers, flowers, pillar box and a fruit and veg barrow. It will also fund dementia software for aiding reminiscence, changes in the décor and items for sensory stimulation to touch, handle, smell and taste for rehabilitation.	£3,616.25
Baby Umbrella	1190745	N/A	Enhanced support for parents' mental wellbeing. In a year where COVID has significantly impacted new parents, causing huge increases in postnatal depression, anxiety and birth trauma, this funding will help to provide additional support.	£1,900.00
Swanley Scouts (Swanley District Scout Council)	306101	N/A	Additional quality, exciting, age-appropriate adventurous activities, e.g. canoeing, kayaking, sailing, national Scout fun days, and adventure centre / dry ski slope activities.	£2,916.25

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The Lewis Project	1183049	N/A	The Lewis Project was set up to help mental wellbeing in young people aged 16 + through music. We provide a relaxed, non-intimidating atmosphere that encourages confidence, musical interest and creativity.	£1000
Home-Start South West Kent (HSSWK)	1105047	5104961	Home-Start South West Kent will support vulnerable families who are struggling to cope. We will recruit and train volunteers and match them with families. Volunteers will visit their families every week and offer practical and emotional support and signposting.	£875
Sevenoaks Volunteer Transport Group	276663	N/A	The grant will be used to defray the running costs of Sevenoaks Volunteer Transport Group which provides low cost transport for elderly, infirm and disabled residents to Sevenoaks Hospital, other local hospitals and clinics and organisations for the disabled.	£500.00

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PMRGCAuk	1128723	6763889	The grant will be used to set up a Support Group in Sevenoaks district for older people who suffer from polymyalgia rheumatic and/or giant cell arteritis. The group will meet monthly in a safe venue to meet fellow sufferers, get support & information and at times listen to expert speakers in these conditions.	£1,400.00
West Kent Mediation	1100637	4830437	West Kent Mediation provide a professional, impartial and free mediation service using dedicated, trained volunteers to help resolve conflict and the breakdown of relationships between individuals, families and groups in the SDC area.	£5,000.00
North Kent Mind	1103790	5093370	A weekly session that combines open discussion and exercise giving the perfect opportunity for those with mental health issues to engage with other people in a fun active way, such as badminton, table tennis, short mat bowls and basic gym activities.	£390.00

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Protection Against Stalking	1136189	6982944	Protection Against Stalking runs a specialist advocacy service in Kent for victims of stalking. The funding will help expand the volunteer-led service in Sevenoaks, contributing to community safety and wellbeing, and enabling further support people to at risk and their families.	£4,680.00
BRIDGES	1029169	N/A	New partnership projects addressing social isolation, money issues, kids' catch-up club, and art therapy. The funding will help staff to recruit, train and support volunteers and professionals to run the projects, community networking, and signposting new residents.	£2,740.00
The Hygiene Bank	1181267	N/A	The funding will enable the purchase of essential hygiene products to distribute to new and existing community partners in Sevenoaks. It will also enable continuity of the lease on storage space used to organise and sort these products.	£3,916.25

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Sevenoaks Counselling	288191	1764440	Assistance for clients unable to pay the full recommended contribution for counselling.	£1,200.00
Age UK Sevenoaks and Tonbridge	1088213	4200219	Funding for pop up events to encourage social interaction, reduce isolation and support older people in rural areas. The events provide exercise aimed at improving mobility & strength, reducing the number of falls, improving health and wellbeing of older people.	£5,000.00
Domestic Abuse Volunteer Support Services (DAVSS)	1143001	N/A	Domestic Abuse Volunteer Support Services provides vital volunteer support services for often traumatised victims of domestic abuse and their children, empowering them to break the cycle of abuse so they and their children can live safe and fulfilling lives again.	£5,000.00
Kenward Trust	1146481	07931728	Funding for responsive outreach services providing targeted intervention to alerts where substances are considered a factor. This grant would help us employ a trainee	£4,666.25

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			Youth Outreach Worker to support our team and reach more individuals.	
Imago	1108388	5354482	Support for Imago's accredited volunteering service which helps people to volunteer, as well as an information, advice and development service for organisations. The project will also help to address social isolation by expanding the transport service.	£3,500.00
Project Salus	N/A	7454402	Funding for an interactive multi agency event that invites Year 6 children to learn about the dangers they may face as they prepare for transition to secondary school. The event is designed to develop citizenship, safety skills and to increase awareness.	£1,500.00